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IMPORTANT TELEGRAMS FROM VARIOUS U. S. POINTS.

A Clergyman Sues a Member of His Congregation for Church Dues—Bishop of Cleveland Takes it all Back—Disastrous Tornado in North Carolina.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 17.—Rev. H. Patrick Smith, pastor of the Catholic Church at Storm Lake, brought suit against Patrick Casey, a member of his church, for $16 due for support of his pastor. A jury trial was had and judgment was found against Casey for $8 and costs. Casey appealed the case to the district court. The matter created quite a sensation, many of the church members siding with Casey. Father Smith has had considerable trouble with various members of his congregation. It is only a few weeks ago that he instituted a suit for $20,000 damages against Wm. Malloy for defamation of character.

An Important Decision.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Oct. 17.—Judge Edwards decided to-day that Edward Childs must be discharged from the penitentiary, though he has served but two years and was sentenced on three counts of two years each, or for six years. The commitment read for two years on each count, but did not say the terms were to run consecutively. The judge therefore concludes they should all run at once, technically. There is tremendous excitement within the prison walls, where the news in same way penetrated, and where over 500 prisoners are affected. One man was received last week from St. Charles, sentenced to two years on eleven different counts, or 22 years in all. There was but one commitment and under the decision he will be liberated in two years.

A Disastrous Tornado.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 17.—A terrific tornado passed through the northern section of Robinson county, 85 miles west of Wilmington, at four o'clock this afternoon. Its course was from southeast to northwest, and its track from 80 to 200 yards wide. Farm houses, grain houses, mills and forests in its path were completely destroyed. Several persons were killed near Maxton, N. C., and it is feared there has been great loss of life and property along the track of the storm. At Hasty several houses were blown down, and one person killed and several injured. At Floral College the storm was very severe, blowing down the belfrey of the Presbyterian church, demolishing one house and many trees, and severely if not fatally injuring two persons. McKinnon's saw-mill was ruined, one of the laborers being seriously injured.

A Panic Among Children.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—During the celebration of the morning mass at the Polish church of Saint Stanislaus to-day, the altar curtain caught fire. There were fifteen hundred children, ranging in ages from five to fifteen years, in the church at the time, and a panic among them ensued. In the rush for the doors about 20 children were trampled upon and crushed, but it is thought only one received fatal injuries. The flames were soon extinguished with small loss.

Admiral Porter Dying.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Admiral David D. Porter, U. S. N., is lying dangerously ill at his home in this city, and his condition to-day was such as to seriously alarm his family and friends. The admiral has been at his summer place near Newport several months, and has been in a more or less feeble condition all the time, his age being now four score years.

The Bishop of Cleveland Retracts.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—The Herald's Cleveland, Ohio, special says: The Herald last Saturday published a copy of the letter written by Bishop Gilmour to Archbishop Elder, Metropolitan, at Cincinnati, taken from the Catholic Knight, an organ which is at present at outs with the bishop. To-day Bishop Gilmour drove to the office of the Catholic Universe, his official organ, and left there the following card to the public in explanation, which will be published in the Universe this morning: "Last week the Catholic Knight published a copy of a private and confidential letter by me to the Archbishop of Cincinnati, and by an oversight read in the Court of Common Pleas at Toledo. The court stenographer, Jas. E. Emory, pledged his word that no one would ever get a copy of said letter from his notes, and the court forbade its use in the suit before the court. To prevent as much as possible the evil intended by publication of this letter through the malice of Jas. J. Greeves, and his clique of clerical councillors and backers, I hereby and by those presents withdraw every word in said letter of apparent disrespect to Rome, and every word that could be construed as doubt of Rome. Above is *proprio motu*. (Signed.) RICHARD GILMOUR, Bishop of Cleveland.

PORT ANGELES REJOICES

That It is Again a Port of Entry—The New Order in Force To-Day.

PORT ANGELES, Oct. 17.—The people of Port Angeles are happy to-day over the final opening of their port of entry. As is known to many this point was years ago the original port of entry on Puget Sound. Some time during the sixties the custom house was mysteriously washed away in a flood that came down the Olympics and the port, instead of being re-opened at the old stand was transferred to Port Townsend, which point to-day largely owes its growth and importance to this fact. During the long and wearying interim the people who still clung to Port Angeles as a home have used their every endeavor to have the port restored, but without success. The recent law of Congress reorganized the Puget Sound Custom district, and designated Port Angeles a sub-port, and since its passage the people have waited patiently for the official action necessary for its reopening. Ships may now enter and clear from and for all foreign parts at Port Angeles.

LONGEST VOYAGE ON RECORD.

The Ship Hospodar 474 Days from London to San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17.—The British ship Hospodar, Captain Thomson, arrived in port last evening, after a passage 474 days, from London via Rio Janerio 159 days, and Valparaiso 69 days. The passage of the Hospodar is the longest ever made by a vessel between two ports. She left London on June 29, 1889, and on December 7th was reported at Rio Janerio with rigging damaged and the captain sick. On December 30th word was received that the vessel had been dismasted. The captain went home, and the mate Thomson took command. New rigging was sent out from England, and after refitting the Hospodar sailed on March 14th for this port. On August 5th she put into Valparaiso and sailed again the same day.

WILLIAM'S CREEK NEWS.

Burns Mountain—Living and Dead Curiosities—Stanley Items.

Last Thursday the stage brought up Sister Margaret, and Sister Mary Gabriel, two soliciting tourists from the house of "Society of Our Lady of Charity," New Westminster. They made a tour of all the creeks, and were pleased with the result of their labor, considering the scarcity of the precious metal among the boys this season. Several of the unredeemed tried to evade an interview with the sisters, but somehow or other they failed in doing so. And it is whispered that our popular and courteous "Pyrates of Hope" and "Sulphate of Experience" was not spiritually inclined to meet the two sisters. But man only proposes, for while the urbane dispenser of "Post Tertiary Lore" was harnessing his horse for a journey to the lower country, he was confronted by the two ladies in black, who smiled so sweetly that the arbiter of quartz and alluvial deposits cheerfully poured out two big "semolios" and a half, and the conference ended.

One of the busiest men in Barkerville is Joseph Mason, Esq., M.P. He is never idle from morning until night. When not seen serving a customer at the store, he may be found weighing out a porterhouse steak in the absence of the butcher, or superintending the clearing and plowing of his meadow farm below the town. He sometimes takes a hand in railroad discussions, which he strongly advocates, and the sentiment is warmly endorsed by a large majority of the people, who feel the urgent necessity of railroad communication for the development of the country.

The "Black Jack" quartz claim is looking better every day. The ore body widens out as it goes down. Four feet is the present width, at a depth of 80 feet, with free gold all across the face.

On Monday the Stanley Hotel register at Lightning Creek was honored with the autographs of three of Williams Creek upper ten: John Bowan, Esq., Gold Commissioner; John Stevenson, sheriff; and Rev. Brooks. The gold commissioner was on his way to Williams Lake, stopping on the way at Quesnelle, Alexander and Soda Creek, holding court of revision. The sheriff went to Quesnelle on official business, and Rev. Brooks was on his way to the Chilcotin country, to be gone three weeks. Yesterday the stage brought up Mr. Punch, the government superintendent and contractor for the telegraph line from Barkerville to Quesnelle. He reports the men making rapid progress, and expects to have the instruments ticking at both ends by Saturday.

Burns Mountain, two and a half miles from Stanley, affords two curiosities at present, one living, and the other dead. The living curiosity answers to the name of John Perkins, who lives alone on the mountain. Besides his many peculiarities, differing from other men, he performs the labor of the Mexican "burro," attaching himself to the shaft of an "arastra" of his own construction, which is certainly a novelty in its line, and is briefly described as follows: A saucer-shaped basin, four feet in diameter, paved with smooth flat stones, the interstices being filled with clay; a perpendicular shaft, twelve inches in diameter and six feet high, with six horizontal bars, five feet by three inches thick, placed about the center of the shaft, having a rope fastened about three inches from the end of each bar, binding them together in a circle; six short arms near the lower end of the shaft, similarly constructed, where a large boulder, weighing 500 or 600 pounds, is firmly tied with ropes. The shaft has iron spindlers, above and below, and oscillates in wooden boxes. The revolving process, Mr. Perkins performs by attaching himself to one of the arms, dragging the huge boulder around the basin "a la burro Mexicano." The dead curiosity is a Cariboo, the largest that has ever been killed here, the skeleton of which Mr. Perkins intends to preserve. The hide, with the head and feet attached, has been carefully taken off to be cured. The antlers are the finest and most perfectly formed of any yet seen in Cariboo. They would be quite an acquisition to a naturalist's collection.

It rained here on the 4th and 5th inst.; on the 6th snow fell about one inch on the level, and is about all gone. Since then the days have been clear and sunshining, with frosty nights, inspiring hope of two or three weeks more of good weather before the snow comes to stay. SOMAN.

Stanley House, General Dry Goods Sale of Bankrupt Stock—great slaughter.

Some careless Nimrod shot a cow and a horse at Wellington a few evenings ago in mistake for deer. Shooting at night is contrary to law.

Stanley House, cor. Broad and Yates. Shop early and avoid the crush.

Ask for "Mon-a-vale" Lime-Fruit Juice and take no other.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

A BUDGET OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN NEWS.

How Dillon Escaped—The German Socialists—The Hovas Dissatisfied—The Ex-Emperor Dom Pedro—More Stringent Russian Laws, Etc.

DUBLIN, Oct. 15.—The United Ireland prints an account of the escape of Dillon and O'Brien, written by O'Brien himself. He says: We rowed from Dalkey Wednesday at midnight to a yacht lying two miles off the shore. The next morning found us many miles away toward the Welsh coast. Friday and Saturday we lay in a dead calm. On Sunday morning we landed at Land's End, where the wind again died away, and we were forced to lie all day in the brilliant sunshine, within two miles of shore. The Trinity House cutter passed close to us, and the crew of the Royal Adelaide, of Falmouth, actually exchanged greetings with our sailors. The fog buried us from sight on Sunday night, four steamers blowing foghorns around us during the night. We cleared the Lizard in the morning, and darted across for the French coast to out-trick the British shipping. We were becalmed again on Monday, and obliged to heat up the channel. A brisk gale sprang up on Monday while passing Guernsey. After midnight we were apparently pursued by a revenue cutter, which, however, was unable to weather the gale and abandoned the chase. In the morning we were running free before the wind for Cherbourg, where we landed at one o'clock. We had reached our last day's supply of fresh water. All the arrangements worked perfectly, thanks to the promised Dublin citizens who superintended them, and we had unparalleled good luck.

Mrs. O'Brien left Dublin this evening to join her husband.

German Socialists.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Emperor William evinces deep interest in the Socialist congress at Halle, and is reported to have said that the Socialists must prove themselves worthy of liberty, or they would again be deprived of it. Prince Bismarck, on the other hand, is said to have declared that the empire had admitted an enemy within its borders more dangerous than the French. The name of Bismarck is everywhere hissed by the Socialists.

The programme of the new Portuguese ministry is not regarded in British official circles as containing much assurance of peace between the two countries. England is determined at all hazards to maintain the freedom of navigation in the Zambesi, and the admiralty has dispatched two more vessels to strengthen the squadron at Zanzibar.

"Freedom's Last Strike."

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Advices from St. Petersburg explain that judical reforms in Siberia and Central Asia will simply consist of the appointment of provincial courts, in which all offenders will be tried without jury instead of being as now treated in summary manner without forms of trial. Judges of the new courts will hold office at the pleasure of the Czar, and will be directly responsible to the chief of the secret police, to whom an appeal may be taken from their decision in important cases. The changes simply transfer to the secret police the authority now exercised by provincial administrators, and bring violations of law, including political exiles more fully within the grasp of the czarial power of St. Petersburg.

Dom Pedro, ex-Emperor of Brazil, has taken up his residence at Versailles, in the Villa Brechignac.

A dispatch from Cape Town says that the Hovas, the ruling race of Madagascar, are greatly excited over the report of a French protectorate superseding the native authority, and that there is danger of a rising against the French.

Irish Politics in Rome.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The Star states that Rt. Rev. Michael Logue, Archbishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Armagh, and Primate of all Ireland; the Rt. Rev. Wm. F. Walsh, D.D., of Dublin, and Rt. Rev. Thos. W. Croke, Archbishop of Tuam, have received a summons from the Holy Father to appear in Rome early next year. The Star considers this an unusual and significant step, and one not often adopted. It is only known to a few that the summons has been issued and the archiepiscopacy is greatly interested in the matter. It is thought in some quarters that the summons has a bearing on Irish politics.

THE CAPITAL.

A Boulangist Leader Coming West—After a Senatorship.

OTTAWA, Oct. 17.—Count Dillon, one of the leaders of the busted Boulangist movement, is in the city, and accompanied by Mons. Alfred Del Brock, they visited several departments to-day, and may go as far west as the Pacific coast.

The name of ex-Mayor McLeod Stewart is connected with one of the vacant senatorships.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 16.—Four hundred carloads of lumber have left here for the American lumber markets since the removal of the export duty, and the amount awaiting shipment here is over 200,000,000 feet. Both the Empire and the Gazette attack the government for removing the duty, on the ground that it will allow American lumbermen to enter Canada, compete with Canadians and deplete our forests.

FROM THE NORTH.

Arrival of the Boscowitz—Large Passenger List.

The steamer Boscowitz arrived from Northern coast points at noon to-day. The following were among the passengers: John Cartlew and wife, Walter Carthew, Rev. T. Crickmer, Geo. Willard, Port Simpson; Charles Savage, Naas River; [illegible] Hanna, agent, Metlakahtla; Mrs. Cunhert, Balmoral; Miss Durham, 40 Chinese and 8 Indians.

The Boscowitz also brought a large lot of freight, principally salmon. There were 3500 cases from McLellan's, 1000 from Northern Pacific, 150 from British American Packing Co., and 300 barrels of salted salmon from the Naas.

The weather was disagreeable, wet and foggy. There is no news of importance.

CLARA MORRIS.

A Notable Engagement for Next Monday and Tuesday.

The forthcoming visit of Clara Morris should be a notable one in our theatrical affairs. There is but one verdict accorded this wonderful woman, and a succession of packed houses has greeted her every appearance. Her last engagement in San Francisco was a most brilliant one. A daily paper said: "A tremendous house greeted this great expositor of emotional sensations. A more genial reception was never accorded. The aristocratic audience was regaled with an intellectually refined illustration of the French microscopic method of acting that recalled the palmy days of Rachel. Never before were we so fully absorbed and interested. By a wonderfully conceived plan of action, an unprecedented hold is gained upon the attention. To catch the meaning of innumerable intimations, constant watchfulness is necessary. Miss Morris devotes every moment of her occupancy of a scene to some illusions. Her style transcends ordinary stage effect, and brims and bubbles with new discoveries of secret impulses. An idea of a character is not bathed in the conventional stage imagery, nor in any court paid to antiquated traditions. The gaze and hearing are captured by looks, tones and gestures which are breathlessly followed. Her delineation of the character assumed was strong, intelligent and without a blemish, and when the last curtain fell and the large audience slowly filed out, there was but one opinion, and that was that they had witnessed the greatest performance ever given on a California stage.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well known People in Various Directions.

J. Wulffsohn, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

Rev. Donald Fraser returned on Thursday from Alberni.

D. W. Jordan, H. B. Kane and Jos. P. Reed, of the Illustrated American, are in the city on a visit.

Mr. O. V. Morgan, M. P., was the guest of Rear Admiral Hotham at lunch on board H.M.S. Warspite yesterday.

A. A. Sandeman and wife, of Montreal, have returned from San Francisco on their wedding tour. They are stopping at the Driard.

C. J. Fisher, formerly agent of the Union Pacific in this city, has been given an appointment in the general superintendent's office at Portland.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

W. T. Drake has removed his coal office to near James Bay Bridge.

The street car track leading from the old to the new car house on Pembroke street, has been laid.

The body of Jim, the Indian, who shot himself, was yesterday taken up to Quamichan in a canoe.

The finishing touches are being put on Turner's new block at the corner of Douglas and View streets.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

The street committee met this afternoon and considered a number of questions referred to it by the Council at its last session.

The B. C. Poultry and Pet Association will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock, in the office of Dalby, Ballantyne & Claxton, to arrange for an exhibition.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

One of the Provincial police officers yesterday found a music stand with a waterproof cover on the Esquimalt road. The article now awaits an owner at the Provincial police office.

The members of Triumph Lodge I.O.G.T. of Esquimalt, gave a farewell entertainment to the members of Ocean Pearl Lodge I.O.G.T., of H.M.S. Amphion, at Esquimalt last evening.

Gum Boots, Rubbers, Arctics, &c., for everybody, at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

H. S. Scott, well known and very popular in cycling circles, left town last evening en route for San Francisco, having in view the very important business of getting married before he returns. The ceremony will take place in the city of the golden gate where dwells the lady of his choice. Mr. Scott will settle down to domestic life on his return, but he has promised not to desert the bicycle club altogether.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

Some time ago Hardy Simpson, of Quamichan, lost two leather cases containing a photograph camera and other belongings from a pleasure boat which he had moored near James Bay bridge. It was presumed at the time that the things were stolen. Yesterday a man named George Keatley found the cases in a field. They were cut open but the contents uninjured. Provincial Police Sergeant Langley has returned them to their owner.

Stanley House, cor. Broad and Yates. Special Bargains in Everything. [illegible]

An immense assortment of [illegible]

BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

BY ANNA KATHARINE GREEN.

CHAPTER IV.

MRS. GRETOREX.

They were in the street. Dr. Cameron, whom this last blow had seemingly amazed, stood on the hotel steps looking in a vague way about him, like one made suddenly homeless; while the detective with his hand on his arm endeavored to make him [illegible]

"Haste? Why should I hasten?" asked [illegible] no engagements, they will scarcely miss the bridegroom if the bride is absent."

"Possibly not, but that absence must be accounted for. That is my duty, perhaps, but you have one, too, I think, sir."

"Here? possibly."

"No, I don't think you can do anything here. But you might try. The lady is alone, and—"

"I cannot," interrupted the other, with a look of irrepressible repugnance. "Neither my love nor my complaisance is sufficient for such a humiliation." And he started away towards the carriage.

Mr. Gryce followed him, saw him enter, and stepped into the vehicle himself.

"To the nearest elevated station," he shouted to the driver. "And quick! We have lost ten minutes by this unexpected discovery," he explained, in apologetic tones to the doctor, "and must make them up at our own inconvenience."

The doctor did not reply; apathy had succeeded disgust.

Mr. Gryce went on talking.

"I am in no position to suggest your duty to you, sir, but I will just lay before you one or two conclusions that have come to me in the last five minutes. Will you listen?"

"I have nothing else to do," dryly remarked the physician.

"Very well, then. Some time ago Miss Gretorex engaged herself to you. She seemed happy; then some trouble came into her life, we do not know what, but we can safely connect it with this Molesworth, and she wished to break her engagement. But her mother to whom she mentioned her desire, thought it too late for her to do so; and driven by some unknown necessity of the situation, she quitted her home three days before her contemplated marriage, leaving behind her, you must remember, a distinct promise to return in time to fulfil her part of the contract. The wedding-day arrives, and she delays her return unaccountably; but the wedding-day is not over, and when I saw her here at 2 o'clock there were yet six hours before her. Did she intend at that time to keep her word? We do not know; but her face was cheerful, even expectant; the face indeed of a woman who is looking forward to an immediate marriage with a man worthy of her and whom she not only loves but respects. But a visitor comes. She has a long talk with him, and the result is a distinct change in her bearing and expression, which seems to argue a distinct change in her plans. We still hear that she is going to be married, but the name of her bridegroom is a new one, and the place of her bridal the very room which at present is only a witness of her despair. What is the conclusion? There may be many, but the one that has suggested itself to me is this: That in her secret heart Miss Gretorex loves the man she has seemingly fled from, and that in this new and unexpected union she is making a sacrifice to some fancied duty. If this is so——"

"She is lost to me as much as if she glorified in her duplicity," broke in the doctor coldly.

The detective slowly shook his head. "You do not love her," his gesture seemed to say.

But his words betrayed no such conviction.

"She is courting a wretched fate," he declared. "A marriage perpetrated in this manner and under circumstances so near to scandalous, will not only destroy her in her own esteem, but sever all connection with her kindred and the friends who have hitherto made up her world. She is lost if it is allowed to take place. Her mother must stop it since you do not feel yourself equal to the task. And to the mother we hasten."

Dr. Cameron's look of gloom did not lighten.

"You are right," he assented. "Let Mrs. Gretorex be told of her daughter's position as soon as possible. But why need I go with you?"

"To save your good name intact. You are expected to be on hand to marry Miss Gretorex at 8 o'clock. If she is too ill to marry you, society will confine itself to commiserating your disappointment. But if you are not there——"

He stopped, for the doctor's whole manner had changed.

"Shall we not go by the elevated road?" asked Mr. Gryce, in his quiet way.

"Certainly, certainly," came from the doctor in ringing tones, strangely in contrast to his late apathetic ones: "anything to get there in time. Who knows but my honor may at least be saved." And the voice which gave the orders to the coachman now was his, and it was his foot that first touched the pavement, and his form that led the way up the stairs to the elevated road.

They were fortunate in catching a train immediately, and once upon it, both breathed easier. Twenty-five minutes certainly would suffice to carry them to 125th street, fifteen more take them across town, and fifteen additional see them at the house. Fifty-five minutes and they had an hour and forty minutes. That is, an hour and forty minutes before 8 o'clock. But Mrs. Gretorex had to be informed of her daughter's critical position, and got down to the hotel by 9. Could it be done? The calm face of the detective asserted his confidence that it could.

But there are accidents that upset all our calculations. Just as they were congratulating themselves upon the good time they were making, the cars gave a sudden jerk and came to a sudden standstill. Instantly all the ladies in the car rose, and next moment the gentlemen, for they had just left a station and were yet some distance from another.

"A break down," exclaimed the doctor.

"In the middle of the block!" added his companion.

Yet they did not believe their own words, and it was some minutes before they fully realized that the engine had really given out, and that they were virtually prisoners, and liable to stay where they were for half an hour at least. When they did, and had calculated the possibilities of escape and found none (for like all such accidents it had taken place in the highest portion of the road), they turned from each other with an irrepressible expression of dismay. For even if they succeeded in reaching the house by 8 o'clock, the half hour now being lost made the expectation of getting Mrs. Gretorex down to the hotel in time to stay her daughter's marriage, no longer within the possibilities. [illegible] decided, and [illegible] The thought [illegible]

Dr. Molesworth, to foresee anything but happiness for her in an alliance with him. Even if he were a man of her world, which [illegible] position that would try the [illegible] and she was a decidedly haughty one, with memories behind her that would make a life of constant concession intolerable.

In the blank of the dull window out of which he looked, he perceived her image, tied with all her accomplishments and lady-like proclivities, to this brusque, stern, self-contained man, whose ambition was as hard as his poverty, and whose will was allied to something narrow and constrained, unlike them to what was broad and helpful. The result was pity. Not the pity that is [illegible] or ever again for this woman. The shock she had given his pride had killed its very germs in his heart. Even if he could bring himself to believe in the detective's plausible explanation of her conduct, and find in her very inconsistencies the evidence of a hidden and baffled affection for himself, his feeling must still remain one of pity alone. The fact that he saw her face as never before; that its least line struck him with a sense of beauty that had sometimes been lacking in his contemplation of her, did not go far to dispel this conviction. Misfortune while separating them had emphasized her figure in his eyes, and though she was his no more, he could not but marvel over the fate that had come between him and one whom he now saw could easily have been his ideal of what was personally fascinating and attractive. The Genevieve he had seen at his last interview—not the one he had seen to-day—was beautiful; and pitable as it was to consider, had shown signs of that feeling attributed to her by his companion. He flushed as he remembered it, and rigorously turned away his thoughts. But they had taken deep root, and though he rose from his seat and walked the length of the train, talked to the engineer, and interested himself in one or two passengers whose countenances betrayed apprehension, he could not escape them, nor substitute with any other vision the picture of her face as it had looked to him on that one night. He saw it in the clouded skies as he glanced out, in the blaze of the fire as he peered into the furnace, finally, in the abstract visage of his companion, as he returned to his old seat and sat down again by the detective's side. Do what he would—and his pride impelled him to make every effort possible—the shy, almost beseeching glance, so new to those proud eyes, the bright, alluring smile, even the turn of her form as she looked back on leaving him, would recur to his memory with a photographic distinctness that effectually blotted out the wild, dishevelled woman of whom he had had that hateful and stolen glimpse through the curtains. Had it not been for the hurried beating of his heart, the fierce, almost unbearable irritation of his nerves, worn to exasperation by these lingering moments of enforced waiting, he could almost have imagined that the events and revelations of the day had been a dream, and that he was going forward with warmth in his heart and hope in his soul, to a marriage that promised love and honor. As it was, no clinging and persistent vision of her or any other woman, could blot out the shameful fact that he was on his way to anything but a happy bridal scene; that instead of honor he should meet mortification, and in place of love, defeat and possible regret.

Mr. Gryce—who, in the wisdom of his old age, chafed at what was unavoidable—had nothing to say during this time of inaction. Possibly he had taken the opportunity to study up some other case, possibly he thought silence more discreet than speech; at all events, he made no effort to break it, and the minutes went by, and the seemingly interminable half hour came to an end without a word having been uttered between them. But with the first onward movement of the car both roused, and Mr. Gryce spoke.

"Thirty-five minutes lost! That's bad! but if the fates are propititious we may succeed in our intentions yet. Come to the door, and don't stop for any courtesies. Seconds are of importance now."

And seconds were made use of. Old as Mr. Gryce was, he showed that when hurry was demanded not even his proverbial rheumatism stood in the way. As soon as the cars stopped at One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth Street, they were out of them, and sighting a train approaching them on the cable road, ran, caught it and were on their way across town before some of their fellow passengers had reached the bottom of the elevated stairs.

There were no delay this time; St. Nicholas Avenue was reached at a quarter to eight, and as they had but a few minutes' walk before them, they stepped out with a decision that was almost hopeful. Suddenly a carriage rolled by them.

"Good God!" exclaimed Dr. Cameron, "a guest going to the wedding!"

Another carriage and another; the street seemed alive with them.

"Why didn't I think of this," murmured the doctor, feeling the cold sweat breaking out over him.

"Did you expect anything else?" asked the detective. "The parents, hoping for her return up to the last, naturally could take no measures to warn their guests. You will even see an awning up, you may be sure."

"'Tis horrible!" came from his companion, with bitter emphasis; and at the corner of St. Nicholas Place he almost stopped as if he felt himself unable to proceed. But the detective's firm figure passing hurriedly on, he recovered from his momentary weakness, and followed him.

Meanwhile the stream of carriages kept up, and presently they could hear the slamming of doors as their occupants alighted. Something in the sound, in the general aspect of things, seemed to move the doctor strangely.

"Hark," cried he, clutching at the detective's arm to stop him. "There is no confusion, no delay; the guests go in and are received. And look! lights—lights from basement to garret! What does it mean? Do those wretched parents still hope that she will come?"

For answer, Mr. Gryce drew him hurriedly on.

"Don't stop for anything," he cried. "Forget your wrongs, your fears, your hopes even. Be a machine; we have work to do." Then with a sudden change of tone. "You must not be seen by these people, and you must see the hostess, and immediately. How are you going to do it? Is there a basement door?"

"Yes, but the side-door is better. If we are met it will cause less remark. I am expected at the side door."

"Good! to the side-door then." And dashing through a crowd of small urchins that blocked the road, they made their way around the house to the entrance mentioned, catching glimpses through the windows, as they did so, of blazing chandeliers and towering plants, and hearing with feelings that may well be imagined, the bewildering tones of an orchestra, mingling with the hum of many voices.

They opened the door. A festive scene burst upon them, but they paid it little heed. The tall figure of the family butler bowing before them absorbed all their attention, for [illegible] expectancy [illegible] mystery of the moment and made it difficult for the doctor to stammer out:

"Where is Mrs. Gretorex? I must see her at once."

The butler, surprised, stared at the doctor an instant, and, seeing something in his face that he did not understand, faltered helplessly, and turned his eyes upon the detective.

"Mrs. Gretorex," repeated Dr. Cameron. "I want to see her. Tell her."

"Wait!" whispered Mr. Gryce, "I had better send her my name." And he took a card out of his pocket.

But the butler, more and more surprised, shook his head, and while he did not refuse to take the card, [illegible]

"Stupid, Monsieur! Mademoiselle Genevieve is to be married to-day. Madame is in her room, and if you will give the card to her to his room, I will tell her—"

"That will do," broke in the detective. "Take us up stairs at once." And ignoring with his usual imperturbility, the glances of astonished inquiry that followed his rather burly figure clad in its common business coat, he pushed his way to the stairway without waiting to see if the doctor was behind him.

This gave the butler an opportunity to whisper: "The bride is a little late, Monsieur; and Mrs. Gretorex asked me to say—"

"I cannot wait," broke in the doctor, exasperated that they should still attempt to keep him in ignorance of the real state of affairs. "I will go up, and you see that Mrs. Gretorex comes to me immediately." And he followed in the wake of the detective, conscious from the expression of the faces he passed, that he wore anything but the aspect appropriate to his supposed position of bridegroom.

Mr. Gryce was waiting in the hall above. "I have inquired for the room set apart for your use," whispered he, "and they point out the one at the end of the hall. Isn't it a sham?" he added. "And what pluck on the part of the mother. I declare I had no idea she would carry it as far as this. But I suppose she could not help herself. She kept hoping and hoping from minute to minute that her daughter would come, and has not yet found courage nor opportunity perhaps to explain the situation and dismiss her guests. If it were not for what we have still to do," he added as they stepped into the room which had been pointed out to them, "I would wait and hear what excuses she would frame to meet the emergency; for you may be sure they would entirely be in accordance with the demands of the occasion."

"There is no excuse possible. The truth will have to be told," declared the doctor.

But Mr. Gryce shook his head, and pointing to the clock, replied, "There is yet an hour before us. If she will come at once, Mr. Gretorex may safely be left to announce to the throng that his daughter has been suddenly taken so violently ill that her marriage to-night is impossible. Not one in a dozen will believe him, but the talk that will follow will not hurt you; and to-morrow any turn can be given to the story which the facts will bear out."

"Yes, yes," began the doctor, but he went no further, for at that moment there was a rustle heard on the threshold, and Mrs Gretorex, magnificent in velvet and diamonds, slowly pushed open the door and stood in a dignified attitude before them. Both gentlemen started forward and both gentlemen paused confused, for her air was one of courteous protest and the glance that she allowed to travel from one to the other had nothing but a haughty inquiry in it, which to them, knowing as they did all that was hid behind it, showed a power of dissimulation that for the moment was almost disconcerting. Nor were her first words calculated to better the impression she had made.

"You have sent for me?" said she, with a glance at the doctor which completely ignored the detective. "May I ask what I can do for you?" Then as the doctor hesitated in his agitation, added politely, "It is 8 o'clock and my daughter is almost ready. I hope these few minutes of delay have not inconvenienced you?"

"Your daughter!" gasped Dr. Cameron. "She is here?" While Mr. Gryce in no wise disturbed by the coldness with which his presence had been received, took up a silver paper-weight from off a table near by and began to weigh it in his hand while his lips moved in what might be called the ghost of a whistle.

"My daughter is here of course, sir," declared the mother in tones that were almost icy in their pride and indignation. "Where else should she be on her wedding night?" and she cast a furious glance at the detective which that person was of course much too absorbed to meet.

"Here!" again repeated the physician, absolutely dumfounded at her audacity. "I beg pardon, but I thought——"

Her smooth voice stopped him.

"Shall I inform my child that her bridegroom is ready?" she asked, with a polite but doubtful glance at the overcoat he still wore.

Dr. Cameron stared, felt himself inadequate to grapple with the situation, and glanced at Mr. Gryce, who softly laid his paper-weight down and advanced.

"Madam," said the latter, "excuse me, but moments are of inestimable value just now, and I must go straight to facts. Your daughter—"

But this woman was not one to brook interference. "I don't know you, sir," she affirmed, and turned again to the doctor. "When my daughter's toilet is quite complete you will receive a summons from her maid. Would you like any assistance yourself?"

This roused Dr. Cameron. Advancing, he took the lady's hand and respectfully bowed over it. "Mrs. Gretorex," said he, "you ignore the man you have employed, but you will not ignore me. If your daughter is in this house she must have returned here in the last few minutes. In that case—"

But here he was again interrupted.

"You mistake. My daughter—concerning whose movements you seemed to have formed the most unaccountable conclusions—has been in this house since noon. She came back with a cousin of hers from Montclair, just as we were beginning to feel anxious about her. Her present delay is owing to an entirely different source. Some trouble about her veil, I believe."

For the second time the doctor showed intense astonishment. "Mrs. Gretorex, do you speak the truth?" he asked, "Miss Gretorex here and since noon, when I myself saw her at the C—— Hotel an hour ago? You are deceiving me and I as your intended son-in-law will not endure it. Though I pity your daughter from the bottom of my heart, I cannot marry her, for her conduct has shown a duplicity to which this tardy return to fulfil her engagement only gives an emphasis."

It was now Mrs. Gretorex's turn to look dumfounded. She gazed at the doctor as if to see whether he were in his proper senses, then she stepped up to the detective.

"This is your work," she cried. "You have gone beyond your orders. Did you not receive my telegram?"

"No, madam."

"I sent you one as soon as my daughter came back. Her explanations were entirely satisfactory and there is no reason why any of us should think of the matter again. Yet you have talked in the very quarter where I desired you to be silent, and in the consequence [illegible] that my daughter's happiness is threatened and her character impeached. It is an irreparable injury which I shall never forgive." And leaving Mr. Gryce to digest these pleasing words, she turned [illegible]

"Sir," said she, "I do not know what excuse you can have for asserting that you have seen my daughter within an hour. I only know that the fact is impossible, for Genevieve has not been out of the house since her return at the time I mentioned, as a dozen witnesses at least can prove to you. As to the duplicity of which you complain, it amounts simply to this, that she felt her health giving way under the constant strain of our numerous preparations, and in a [illegible] thinking that the complete rest thus obtained would benefit her, as it has; for never has she looked more blooming or more fitted to be your wife than at this very moment when you hesitate to accept her."

For answer, the doctor walked up to the detective.

"Could we have been mistaken?" he asked. "Was it indeed another woman?"

"I will tell you in two minutes," was the hasty answer; and quitting them with small ceremony, Mr. Gryce passed out of the room.

The doctor made no effort to apologize or answer Mrs. Gretorex till he came back. His whole future destiny was trembling in the balance and it was as much as he could do to retain his composure. Happily the time of waiting was short. Mr. Gryce rejoined them almost immediately, and bowing low to the lady of the house, said in Dr. Cameron's ear, "Another case of mistaken identity. Mrs. Gretorex is correct in all her assertions. You have made a fool of me and I show my chagrin by simply departing."

The doctor attempted no reply. He was beside himself with joy. What, the whole dreadful business of the last four hours a farce? His marriage assured, his bride untainted, no Molesworth in her past, no possible jealousy in their future? He almost dropped on his knees to Mrs. Gretorex, in his contrition; attempted explanations and paused thinking them too inadequate, laughed, asked questions about his bride's beauty and betrayed impatience to see her; in short, acted like any man suddenly transported from unhappiness to rapture.

The mother understanding him better than he thought, perhaps, only smiled, and pointing to his black neck-tie, asked if he had a white one in his pocket.

His face grew suddenly long and he flushed with intense mortification.

"I have not come quite prepared for so grand a ceremony," he stammered. "If the guests will wait a little longer while I send for my coat and tie——"

"They must," declared Mrs. Gretorex, calling a servant at once and giving him one or two orders. "It will not take more than another half hour, and the band can keep them patient till then."

"Tell them I was detained by an accident on the elevated road. As I was," he merrily added. "Keep them in good nature and give me a glimpse of my bride."

"You impatient lover!" was all the relieved mother could say; but her look was a promise, and in a few minutes, a trim and quiet girl came tripping to the door, and, smiling coquettishly, showed a him room at the other end of the hall, saying:

"Miss Gretorex is all dressed, sir, and will speak to you for a minute if you desire it."

He did not linger an instant. Something—was it love, or only that old pride of his restored to its full life, burned in his breast, and made his short walk down the hall a remembrance of delight to him? Her door just ajar, was like a beacon of hope, and when he saw it open wider and caught the one short glimpse she allowed him of her tall and elegant figure in its shimmering robes and misty veil, he felt his pulses beat as never before, and scarcely needed the charming smile she gave him to complete a happiness which at that moment was supreme.

"I have kept you waiting," she murmured; and he found no answer for looking at her eyes, that, seen thus through her veil, possessed a beauty and a glow which made her absolutely beautiful. "I am all ready now," she cried, "but mamma says that you are not. Naughty man, to go careering down town to look after some patient or other, when you should have been thinking only of me."

He laughed, feeling himself to be another being, and she another being from the man and woman of a week ago. Then he looked at her again, and uttered some tender compliment which made her blush deliciously, [illegible] in answer to a wave of [illegible] that seemed to say: "Enough." [illegible] to withdraw, when he saw her eyes suddenly dilate and a look of such shock and fear cross her face that he involuntarily turned and glanced down the hall behind him for its cause. There was nothing there, absolutely nothing; only the figure of a hair-dresser or some such woman, who in cloak and veil, stood with her little bag on her arm waiting to enter, and astonished at the ease with which his mind lent itself to the most startling conjectures, he turned back to reassure himself by another look at his bride, when the door which had been swung open between them, softly closed, and he found himself shut out from her presence, with a new memory and a new fear to make discord of the notes of the wedding march he was soon to hear.

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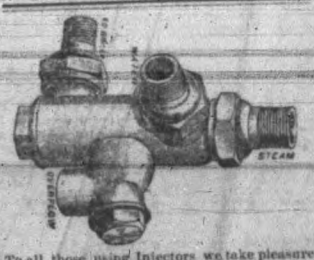

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NEWS FROM NELSON.

Items of Interest to Miners from a Mining Center—Work Progressing Favorably.

(Nelson Miner.)

The steel will be laid on the Slocan bridge on Monday, and on Tuesday [illegible] Mr. [illegible] will begin [illegible] work. Their men will be turned over to Keefer & Co., who hope to be through with all their work on the north side of the Kootenay by November 1st. D. B. Campbell, the bridge man, has had his force increased by 10 men, sent in from Ontario. The work on the south side of the Kootenay has been lightened up, and Keefer & Co. expect to get through with it by December 1st. Work on the Kootenay bridge will be rushed, Dan McGillivray being on the ground himself. The railway officials are getting a move on them now that they should have got on in July last. The same energy shown then as is shown now would have completed the road by October 1st, and the Revelstoke smelter would be blown in and shipping bullion, instead of standing as a monument to the folly of building a smelter before an ore supply is assured.

Alexander Thomson, the Miner correspondent at Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, writes, under date of the 6th, that H. S. Sweet, engineer of the Galena, made complaint on arrival of that boat at Bonner's Ferry, that two Chinese had crossed from British Columbia into Idaho in violation of the exclusion law. On examination before Justice of the Peace Chambers, it was found that they were without official passports, Customs Inspector Dolan, of Kootenay station, was notified of the fact, he telegraphing to Chief Inspector Cummings at Fort Benton, Montana, for instructions. In the meantime the Chinese are held in custody by Justice Chambers. This prompt action on the part of Mr. Sweet and the Idaho authorities is commendable. The Chinese should be given to understand that they cannot make their way into the United States by way of Kootenay Lake and river. Further, they should be given to understand that their presence is not desired in any mining camp on Kootenay Lake.

At the hydraulic claim on 49 creek, the pipe has been moved from the first opening to a point further up the stream, the boulders being too large to handle profitably with the present stage of water. Where the pipe and sluice boxes are now located, the boulders can be easily handled and the bed-rock is equally as rich as at the other place. Mr. Huntley, one of the owners, is sanguine of a good clean up before shutting down for the winter.

Bears are said to be numerous in the hill west of Nelson, the vicinity of the Poorman mill being a favorite haunt.

The Davys & Tolson mill flume is the latest addition to Nelson's many wonders. While not as extensive as the one near Virginia City, Nevada, made famous by Dan de Quill of the Territorial Enterprise, who ran its length (15 miles) in a boat in ten minutes, it is large enough to float lumber and wood from the mill to the yard, a distance of two miles, having a fall of 269 feet in that distance.

At present there is a hay famine in the towns on Kootenay Lake. This is not caused by a scarcity of hay on the ranches along the river, but on account of a lack of hay balers, not one of these machines being owned north of the boundary line.

The county commissioners of Kootenay county, Idaho, have ordered road overseer D. C. Long to repair all bridges as well as the road between Bonner's Ferry and Kootenay station. Mr. Long has now a force on the work.

The owners of the Union, a mineral claim in the Hot Springs district, are applying for a crown grant.

G. O. Buchanan of the Kootenay Lake sawmill states that he has 100,000 feet of lumber at his yard at Nelson, 50,000 feet at Ainsworth, and 100,000 feet at his mill, 14 miles up the outlet from Nelson. Parties wishing to purchase building condition lots at Nelson will be liberally dealt with.

The telephone line is up to the crossing of the Kootenay, where an office will be established. The line is for temporary use only, and will be replaced with a telegraph line next summer.

The trail between Balfour and the mines in Hot Springs district is being rapidly pushed. It is completed to Coffee Creek on the north end, and 2½ miles of the south end are in condition to be tramped over by the weary prospector.

A. S. Farwell has made surveys of the United, Arkansaw and other mineral claims in Hot Springs district, as well as an undergrown survey of the No. 1. He is now engaged in completing the survey of the town of Ainsworth.

Raffles are sure indicators that the parties getting them up have not deposited their summer's wages in a savings bank. This week horses and saddles and shotguns and gold watches have been raffled at Ainsworth and Nelson, and the writer of this paragraph is beginning to believe that the highest number he can throw is 35, a number just high enough to win nothing.

Ewing came in by the Idaho on Friday from his Deep Creek ranch near Bonner's Ferry, Idaho. He reports clearing 30 acres of thick underbrush in 10 days. His partner, Tom Collins, says he made better headway clearing brush than he did in swamping sawlogs at Davys & Tolson's mill.

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"When the 'Kid' entered the bank he was immediately shown the stubborn safe. After looking it over carefully, he asked if there was another safe of the same make in the city. There was, and at his request he was taken to it and examined its locks closely. Returning to the bank, he sent for a sledge hammer and a stick of cord wood. He placed the latter against the face sheet, directly over the combination, and then struck it sharply with the sledge. Turning to the banker, the 'Kid' blandly directed him to open the safe door, and upon working the combination the door opened easily."

"The 'Kid' was sent back to the 'pen' with a twenty dollar gold piece in his pocket; but this was the smallest part of the reward, for the examination of the safe that was opened for his inspection had revealed to the astute safe destroyer a way of picking the combination, which he put into practical use as soon as he was liberated. I know this to be a fact, for I saw McCoy a couple of years ago when he was under arrest in New York, and he told me about it himself."

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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and 12½ cents for every subsequent insertion.

WANTED—A good General Servant in a small family. Apply to 119 Menzies street, James Bay. oct7-4t

WANTED—A first class Bench Carpenter wants a steady job (9 hours.) Apply Carpenter TIMES office. oct7-1t

WANTED—To borrow about $6000 for four or five years, on good, partly improved and well situated property on Lulu Island: Parties desiring to loan will please communicate with Thomas Kidd, Lulu Island P.O., B.C. oct6-1w

WANTED—Situation as country storekeeper [illegible]

WANTED—A Young Girl for sewing at the Pearl Stamping Parlors, 11 Caledonia Avenue. oct6-4t

WANTED—To purchase a small Grocery or Fruit and Confectionery business. Address "Grocery" TIMES office. oct6-3t

THE FIRST DIRECT GRAND EXCURSION to Port Angeles, Wash., has been organized for some day next week. Parties interested in Port Angeles please take notice. For further particulars apply at room 3, Belmont Block, Yates street. oct5-1w

WANTED—A strong Boy to carry parcels, also a Millinery apprentice. Apply at the White House. oct5-tf

WANTED—Two Gentlemen to board in a private family, house pleasantly situated on car line, five minutes walk from town; terms moderate. Apply C.E. TIMES office. oct4-3t

WANTED—A Carpenter. Apply at the B.C. Pottery Co., Constance Cove Road. oct3

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—First class bodice and skirt workers at "The Westside." oct3-tf

WANTED—A Canvasser. Apply to P.O. box 143. oct2-1w

WANTED—A first-class energetic and reliable man, to travel and canvass for a firm in this city. Address Canvasser P.O. drawer I. oct3-tf

WANTED—Everybody to come and buy bargains at Hilbert's Boot and Shoe clearing sale, 74 Yates street. sept0 tf

WANTED—At once a nurse girl for small family. Apply 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. aug12-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished Rooms, with or without board. 23 North Park street. oct7-3t

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms. Kendall street near Niagara street, James Bay. oct6-3t

TO RENT—The Upper Flat of a two-story brick building, size 27x48 feet, divided into five rooms, in the centre of the city. Apply to box 627, city. oct5-1w

TO LET—Accommodation for light housekeeping on the car line. 63 Superior street. oct3-tf

TO LET—A pleasantly situated Front Room; also day and private board by the meal, day or week. For particulars apply to No. 8 Humboldt street, 3 minutes walk from Post Office. oct3-3w

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TO RENT—New five roomed Dwelling; bath room, hot and cold water, 3 lots Dallas Road. Apply Monteith & Milligan, 50 Government street. aug12-tf

TO LET,—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

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FOR SALE—Fine Brussels Carpet only slightly used, containing 40 yards. Price 75c per yard, cost $1.50 per yard would fit room 11x13; also some curtain poles and rings. 68 North Park street. oct6-3t

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ARE THEY KINSMEN?

Rev. Dr. Talmage's Brother a Hotel Runner in Seattle.

"Yes, I am a brother of the Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, of Brooklyn. You know him, everybody knows him." The speaker was a man carelessly, almost shabbily, dressed, and the place was a saloon near the railway station, where a Post-Intelligencer reporter, waiting for the overland train, was at a table busily writing. The man had entered the room and, sitting down by the table, had answered a question about the arrival of the train. Some [illegible]

"My name is Charles M. Tallmadge—two 'Ts' and a 'd'—and up to a few days ago I was running for a Seattle hotel. T. De Witt Talmage? Yes, I am a brother of the Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, of Brooklyn. You know him; everybody knows him. He is my oldest brother, and I am the youngest of the family.

"He was born in the Montezuma swamps, in New York, and my next brother, Sam, and a sister, now dead, were born there, too. I was born in Buffalo, in 1849, in a house next to that in which Millard Fillmore lived.

"Then our family moved to Wisconsin, to Milwaukee. My uncle, Nathaniel Pitcher Tallmadge, was a United States senator from New York, and was afterwards first senatorial governor of Wisconsin. My father, J. J. Tallmadge, was one of the most popular men in the state. For three years, from 1865 to 1868, he was mayor of Milwaukee, and then in 1868 he ran for governor of the state on the Democratic ticket. The state was nominally Republican by about 30,000, but he came within 300 votes of winning.

"When I was 15 years old I enlisted in the army and went to the war, serving 122 days before the war closed. So far as we were concerned, I took part in Forest's second attack on Memphis, August 24, 1864.

"Since the war I have been knocking about, taking a hand at pretty nearly everything. I've been in the real estate business and in grain dealing. Just before I came to Seattle I was earning $125 a month, and now I've just been working for $1.25 a day, or $8.75 a week. Pretty tough, isn't it?

"You see, I came out to this country in the hope of bettering myself. I fancied that all you would have to do would be to hold a bucket at the edge of one of the bluffs, and the $20 gold pieces would pour into it. I went to some of the big firms, showed them my letters of recommendation, and told them I could do anything from keeping the books to loading a dray. But I couldn't get work, and so I went on down the list of shops, but yet I found nothing to do. Finally I went into the Seattle hotel and told them I had to have work. I would do anything if they would give me a chance. So they made me a runner—work that I had thought beneath me once.

"The contrast is a strange one, isn't it? The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage could go almost anywhere in the world and be well received. He is making more money every year than the President of the United States, and President Harrison would be glad to shake hands with him; and I—I'm known by all the hotel runners and longshoremen as 'Seattle Charley' and a good fellow. I'm not making very much money, and President Harrison would not be at all anxious to meet me. The difference is a big one.

"I've been here since last March, and I've not seen T. De Witt. He is an awfully good fellow, not at all bigoted. He is a little finicky about the spelling of his name, using 'f' and no 'd,' but he is the only one of our family that does so. Here is my mother's card, see: 'Mrs. J. J. Tallmadge'," and "Seattle Charley" showed a finely engraved visiting card.

"She is living at Chicago now, although her regular home is at Milwaukee, and that is where the family still has property. I have another brother, Sam, who is in the grain business in Milwaukee. He is doing very well, though he has run for nearly every office going, and has always been defeated. It is funny that he has invariably been on the wrong side of the question. Now his bosom friend, Geo. Peck, of Milwaukee, is running for governor on the Democratic ticket. Peck will be elected, and yet my brother Sam, who has hitherto been a Democrat, is now against Peck on account of that Bennett school law issue.

"You can see from what I have told you that I am what you might call the black sheep of the family. But T. De Witt is the one we are proud of. He is a thoroughbred. I hope to get back east soon and see him."

Mr. Charles M. Tallmadge is about five feet eight inches in height and well built. His face is smooth except for a closely cut moustache, which hides a rather wide mouth with drooping corners. His head is large and very well shaped. His eyes are gray and his complexion is light and well colored. The most prominent feature of his face is a cleanly cut aquiline nose. He is a clever talker and uses exceptionally good language.

Among the men at the wharves and the railway station he seems to be a general favorite.—Post Intelligencer.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Accidental Poisoning or Suicide—Nanaimo Brewing Company.

Mrs. J. L. Cawthorne, wife of a well-known brewer of Nanaimo, died last night from the effects of a dose of "rough on rats," either taken purposely or by accident.

At a general meeting of the shareholders of the Nanaimo Brewing Company held on Wednesday evening, it was decided to commence operations immediately, and a committee was appointed to carry the decision of the meeting into effect. The building, which is to be a very extensive on, will have a foundation of stone, and the whole of the exterior will be built of brick. It is fully expected that the brewery will be completed early in the spring.

The Free Press says: The laboratory attached to Mr. Geo. H. Blakeway's store, promises to be completed by the end of the week. At a meeting of the company last Wednesday evening it was decided to call the company the "Congo Medicine Manufacturing Company." Mr. G. H. Blakeway was appointed president and treasurer, and also manufacturing manager. The company will commence operations almost immediately.

USEFUL INVENTIONS.

Brainy Men Have Made Improvements in Frames for Eye Glasses.

Inventors who have been busy of late years in devising improvements for the benefit of the race have not been idle in the matter of frames for spectacles and eye glasses, and several recently patented devices of this kind have become immediately popular, so that the demand has thus far been in excess of the supply. This is particularly true of a [illegible] frame for eye glasses. Designed especially for those who do not like to wear spectacles, or riding frames, it also meets the requirement of the oculist that the glasses must sit straight on the nose, so each glass centers before the eye. Some people cannot wear the common spring eye glasses on this account, but Seward's new patent frame overcomes this difficulty. The factory is unable to manufacture this frame fast enough to supply the demand for it.

Unless the frame fits well, and is worn with ease, the optician has not done his duty. This is a special feature of the work done by Mr. Seward, who rigtly considers it essential to properly fit the frame as well as the glass, and this is one secret of his great success. He will be in Victoria but a short time, and an early call should be made upon him at room No. 8, over Cochrane & Munn's drug store, corner of Yates and Douglas streets.—Adv.

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In aid of Rectory Fund

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SATURDAY, OCT. 18,

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TO CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE AND BULK TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned until Saturday, noon, the 25th Oct., 1890, for the erection and completion of a frame villa residence on lot 29, Esquimalt Road. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen and any other information obtained by applying to EDWARD McCOSKRIE & CO., Architects and Building Superintendents, Belmont Block, Yates street. oc16-td

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Medical Council

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The semi-annual examination of the B.C. Medical Council takes place in the City of Vancouver, beginning on the 4th day of November next. Full information can be obtained by applying to

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE OR WHOLE TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned, until Thursday, 4 p.m., 23rd inst., for the erection of a four story brick building in Broad street. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
oc14-td Architect.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. H. B. Tyrwhitt-Drake, Barrister-at-Law was on 1st August last admitted as a partner in the firm of Drake, Jackson and Helmcken which will hereafter as heretofore be carried on under the firm name of

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Dated 13th October, 1890. oc13-1m

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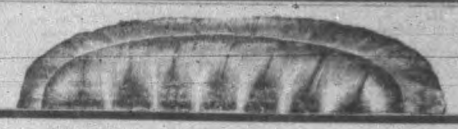

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A Resident of Victoria Who Entered a Cave in Ceylon in Search of Buried Treasure—Pythons, Cobras and Wild Pigs—Subterranean Battles.

Written by Mr. A. E. Harris.]

Through the clear water I could distinguish blue and yellow sapphires, other stones, some small, but the majority of great size. How pretty they looked. The circling water seemed to mix and blend the various tints in a most intricate manner. What presents to make to my lady friends, what castles in the air flitted through my excited brain. But how to get them out was the next thing to be thought about. Bail out the water with my coat or anything that came to hand. This I tried to do, but as fast as I worked, so fast the water flowed in from the horizontal crevice in the rock. Stop that up. What with? Happy thought, the dead priest's gown. So hastening back to the skeleton I snatched and unwound the garment from the bones that made a gruesome rattling as they fell to the ground. Running back I judiciously stuffed up the crevice, making the garment do its best. But stretch it as far as it was possible, although the water stopped where the garment was, in a measure, yet beyond that it still provokingly went on flowing, and that in an intensified manner. It was soon apparent that the thing was impossible. Then I tried with my naked feet to lift the jewels up in small quantities as I had done the pot. But the hole was too narrow at the bottom to get both feet in a position so as to be able to favorably grasp the desired object. The next thing to be done was to try with one foot to get some between the toes, or balance a few on the hollow part above the toes, but this turned out equally unfeasable, for just as they reached near the surface, what with being smooth and polished and the current of water flowing in, almost as I had grasped them with my hand they would slip off and fall again to the bottom. Meantime what with the coldness of the water and the bitter disappointment at the treasure slipping away from under my very nose, even after being able to touch it with my feet, the various excitement I had undergone began to undermine my nerves. Chills ran down my body, and I felt the well known symptom of fever coming on. To stay any longer was certain death from malaria, so I resolved to return at a future date, and hastened to beat a retreat.

Horror upon horror, this was cut off. Was my life to be lost as well as the treasure? It seemed so, for on proceeding to the ladder, it was gone. Then I remembered its having fallen to pieces when I was chased by the cobra. How was it possible to get out now. The wall was perpendicular under the passage and eight feet from the cave's bottom. I could not reach the ledge, and even if I had, in my weak state, it would have been impossible to clamber up. Was there nothing to assist me in the cave? No, nothing. Stay, the clay compound of the god. Gather it together and mount the heap. Was there time, would my stock of candles last? One had burnt out, the other was fast getting horribly less, leaving only one in reserve. There was no time to lose, so taking off my coat and piling the compound on top, it was dragged as fast as possible to the wall underneath the opening. But alas, there was not enough of it; the figure turned out to be hollow not a solid mass. One might have known that or it would not have collapsed as it did, so what with wastage and the sinkage when any weight was put on it was very apparent the case was hopeless. My knees shook under me, I sank down in despair at the horrible death before me.

Glancing around in a sort of apathetic way, my sight fell on the skeleton. Ah, I will compel death to reverse his functions and help a fellow to life for once by way of a change. The idea was to make a ladder out of the bones of the priest and his servant now lying scattered on the floor. I had some strong cord in my pocket and there was plenty of it, fortunately having taken a good supply purposely in case there should have been more than one passage to explore, as by tying the string to a staple object and paying it out as one went along there would have been no difficulty in retracing one's steps should necessity have required it. Choosing out the larger bones of the legs and arms, amounting in all to sixteen, as there were two subjects to assess from, they were made to serve with a little ingenuity the side of a ladder by binding the ends together with the cord just behind the joints; the result was somewhat clumsy but it answered the purpose, being five feet high when finished. For the rungs a sufficient number of ribs were annexed and speedily fastened at right angles to the sides. Placing it against the wall on the heap of clay which was piled around to make the base as solid as possible, there was not much space left between the top rung and the edge. By this time the other candle flickered out, just after I had lighted my third and last, which was put into the lantern to make it last the longer. With a thankful heart I fled up the ladder and out of the mortal place and up the passage, along which there were tracks of blood, undoubtedly that of the wounded jackall that had received the contents of my revolver.

All went well until about twenty yards from the large stone that had been used as a door. That, of course, was still kept up by the inserted wedge, otherwise the jackalls could not have got down. All at once the light revealed an enormous snake, quite ten feet long, with a body as big around as the calf of a man's leg. As far as could be judged in the scanty light it lay half coiled up at the tail end, but the other half stretched along the passage. Once only had I seen the same species before coiled around the branch of a tree, and soon recognized it to be a fair sized python. It was evidently asleep and had probably eaten the defunct jackall, judging by the uneven swelling one third way down the body. Could it be passed without disturbing its happy dreams?

There was nothing for it but to try, as my revolver had been left behind in the hurry to get out. So with my heart beating fit to choke me and treading as softly as possible, the tail part was safely passed, but in making the stretch to pass this obstacle, my shoulder struck against the opposite wall, and caught my foot with the whole weight of my body full on the serpent. This rough treatment naturally awakened and angered the brute, but before it could gather its wits together, time was given me to reach the narrow opening, but even if the stone was shut down it could have crawled over it and must have overtaken me before reaching the outlet. The only chance of escape left was to jam the rocking stone on to the python's [illegible] powder and keep it there, as there was not much time for reflection. With its head raised a foot off the ground, its body with a wavy motion like a flag moved by the wind, drew nearer and nearer. Already its mouth was opening ready for its intended victim, exposing to view two curved fangs in either jaw, and a forked tongue that shot in and out of its capacious throat. Just as the head reached the centre of the pivots I drew the wedge, and hastened the descent of the stone as much as possible. How seemingly slow it moved, but in reality its descent was by no means slow, but just in time, landing the edge just behind the base of the head. The brute was fairly caught; it writhed and twisted, but the more it struggled the more I pressed down the stone. The serpent in its anger must have wound its body round the inner part of the stone, which at this time lost its balance, slipped off the natural pivots, and came down with its full weight onto the serpent's coils.

I was saved. A black ooze trickled from out of its now gaping jaws. The bloodshot eyes glazed, the jaws relaxed and there was a sickening odor. As for myself, more dead than alive, I picked the lantern up as fast as my now exhausted nature would let me and regained the opening. Here as men have been known after swimming from a shipwreck and successfully fighting the waves, to fall down dead on reaching the shore, so almost did this happen to me. When I came to, I found that I had been laid up with a fever for some time, and learnt that the old man, together with a villager, had watched at some distance off the mouth of the cave, and on my coming out, procured help and had me conveyed on a litter back to the estate.

Once afterwards I tried to get the treasure, but found that the big stone dislodged by the struggles of the python, effectually blocked the passage. To remove it would require tons of powder. I gave the matter up, and today the glittering gems are flashing in the still waters of that silent pool in the cave of Vedda.

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
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For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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COING SOUTH. READ UP.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Miles from Wellington.
VICTORIA	Lv. 12:15 P.M.	Lv. 3:35 P.M.	
ESQUIMALT	12:30	3:51	4
COLWOOD	12:40	4:01	7
GOLDSTREAM	12:45	4:10	8
HATLEY	12:50	4:19	9
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	1:05	4:34	14
COBBLE HILL	1:15	4:44	17
McPHERSON'S	1:25	4:55	20
KOKSILAH	1:34	5:05	23
DUNCANS	1:47	5:18	28
CHEMAINUS	2:17	5:47	38
NANAIMO	Ar. 3:25	Ar. 6:55	73
WELLINGTON	Ar. 3:35	Ar. 7:05	75

COING NORTH. READ DOWN.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Miles from Victoria.
WELLINGTON	Lv. 9:00 A.M.	Lv. 2:30 P.M.	
NANAIMO	9:10	2:40	1
CHEMAINUS	9:47	3:18	11
DUNCANS	10:17	3:48	18
KOKSILAH	10:27	3:58	23
McPHERSON'S	10:37	4:08	28
COBBLE HILL	10:47	4:18	31
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:57	4:28	34
HATLEY	11:12	4:43	39
GOLDSTREAM	11:20	4:51	42
COLWOOD	11:25	4:56	43
ESQUIMALT	11:35	5:06	46
VICTORIA	Ar. 12:15 P.M.	Ar. 5:45 P.M.	52

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Arrive Tacoma	11:15 p.m.

Port Townsend-Port Angeles Route.
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Leave Seattle—*8:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *8:20 m.
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Leave Tacoma	7:30 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	9:30 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
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CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

A BOGUS $100 BILL.

A Case of Giving Change Leads to Arrest for Passing Counterfeit Money.

A few days since an incident occurred at the Driard house which will find ventilation in the court. The participants are Mr. Seward, of the firm of Redon & Hartnagle, brewers, of Victoria, and the Bank of B. C., and the facts, as stated by Mr. Seward in an interview, are as follows:

MR. SEWARD'S STATEMENT.

On the 17th of September, Mr. F. D. Seward arrived at the Driard house. Shortly after he had registered, the clerk asked him to exchange some American bank notes for Canadian notes, to oblige a guest who was leaving on the night boat. Mr. Seward readily complied, and placed the money he received in the hands of Mr. Hartnagle for safe keeping. A few days later he asked Mr. Hartnagle to give him bank notes to the amount of $150, and at the same time Mr. Seward paid Mr. Hartnagle $25 in advance on his hotel bill.

Taking the money given him by Mr. Hartnagle, Mr. Seward went direct to the Bank of British Columbia and exchanged it for a certificate of deposit for $150. The receiving clerk states that Mr. Seward gave him a $100 bill with the rest, which he did not like the looks of, but finding the number of the bill was correct, passed it. Three weeks later a bill alleged to be the same came back branded "counterfeit," and the bank at once demanded that Mr. Seward pay in another $100, or go to jail. He was subjected to the indignity of an arrest at the Driard dinner table, the chief of police refusing to let him finish the meal. Conscious of his innocence, and supposing that Messrs. Redon & Hartnagle would recoup his loss, Mr. Seward paid the bank $100, and asked the hotel proprietors to reimburse him. This was refused, much to his surprise, and after waiting three days, on the advice of a mutual friend who wanted both parties to submit the case to arbitration, Mr. Hartnagle offered, on behalf of the firm, to allow Mr. Seward a credit of $25 upon his board bill at the end of the month.

This was promptly refused by Mr. Seward, who considers it a great hardship, not alone to suffer the direct loss of the money but the more serious and irreparable damage to his reputation. He considers that to accept any compromise which did not embrace a full clearance of his skirts from anything like guilty knowledge of the handling of counterfeit money, would be to some extent a tacit acknowledgment of guilt, and he will to-day institute legal proceedings which will bring the matter to a focus.

Mr. Seward summarizes the case as follows: "I can swear positively that I gave the bank the identical money I received from Mr. Hartnagle and no other. The bank clerk says he will swear that I gave him the counterfeit $100 bill. If I did so, the bill was given me by Mr. Hartnagle, and I am compelled to appeal to the law for redress."

MR. HARTNAGLE.

Mr. Hartnagle on being seen by a TIMES reporter, said he had nothing to add to the case beyond the fact that it had been placed in legal hands, and he was prepared to go ahead with it.

A Charter.

The Tailors' Union, which was formed in this city about a month ago, has been granted a charter by the Journeymen Tailors' Union of America. The new union is to be known as the Victoria Journeymen Tailors' Union, No. 142, and it starts out under very favorable circumstances, there already being about 30 members.

It Was All Right.

During the Jockey Club meeting last week, a boy about 13 years old came down to ride one of the horses, and as he had not returned when expected, a little anxiety was felt for him. His mother wrote down but received no answer, and so his father came over to look after him. He had received the letter several days ago and was found all right by his father. Anxiety has been caused by his thoughtlessness of his friends.

The Streets.

The streets of Victoria are, as a rule, superior to those of the neighboring cities, but, nevertheless, there is room for improvement in some portions of the city. For instance, Yates street, between Douglas and Blanchard, has for two winters been in a bad condition. The crossings also might have a little more attention during the rainy season, especially on account of the ladies, who, as a rule, would rather go around a block than over a muddy crossing.

The Farmer Delegates.

The British farmers' delegates will arrive by this evening's Islander, and, in the person of His Worship Mayor Grant, will be the guests of the city while here. They will remain over Sunday. To-morrow it is proposed that they visit the city and surroundings, taking in Esquimalt and other places of interest, and Sunday they will drive out and inspect the Saanich peninsula. Everything will be done, not only to make their stay pleasant, but to strengthen, in their case, the invariably favorable impression which visitors to Victoria take away with them.

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The old reliable coal and wood yard, office 42 Yates street, is now prepared to supply the market with the best New Wellington Coal.

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On account of the increasing business at the C. P. R. telegraph office it has become necessary to employ another operator in the office. Jackson, an old time eastern operator, has been appointed to the position.

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Josiah Wood, M. P. for Westmoreland, N. B., Hon. Mr. Pugsley, solicitor general for New Brunswick; A. I. Truman, official reporter for the supreme court in banc and a well known lawyer of St. John, N.B., were in the city yesterday and left for home again this morning over the C. P. railway.

Married at Lulu Island.

Mr. H. M. Tiffin and Miss C. Buchanan, both of Lulu island, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Wm. Pybus, on the 15th inst. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Calvert in the presence of the relatives and friends. Both the parties are well known in the district and their many friends join with the TIMES in wishing them a long and happy life.

The Last Rites.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Paris Carter took place from the Pandora street Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon, and was largely attended by the friends of the family. The services were conducted by the Rev. White whose remarks were touching and impressive. The pall-bearers were Messrs. N. Shakespeare, McMillan, McKaye, Whitley, Pierre, and Wheeler. The remains were interred in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

The Late Captain Dunn.

The Islander last evening brought over the body of the late Captain Dunn of the H.B. bark Titania. It was this morning conveyed to the residence of Mr. T. R. Smith, where it will remain till the funeral to-morrow at 2:30 o'clock to Christ Church cathedral. The greater portion of the Titania's crew and a deputation from New Westminster will arrive this evening to attend the funeral.

Sunday a State Holiday.

There was not a badly sized audience at The Victoria last evening to listen Mr. J. Remsberg's lecture on the Sunday question. Mr. Remsberg would abolish Sunday as a religious institution, but acknowledges its necessity as a day of rest and recreation. His plea is that the state and not the church, take Sunday and make it a public or general holiday to be used for mental and physical culture, and the enjoyment and observation of nature's beauties. Mr. Remsberg lectures this evening at Harmony Hall on "False Claims."

Naval Notes.

H. M. S. Amphion leaves at daylight to-morrow morning for Malta, calling at Honolulu, Hongkong, Singapore, Colombo, Aden, Port Said and Suez, and from there to Malta where she will be refitted. She will have about 75 days at sea on the passage, and a little over 20 days in harbor to coal and get fresh provisions. She is supposed to spend her Christmas a little this side of Aden, and to arrive at Malta about the middle of January.

H.M.S. Warspite leaves on November 7th for southern division of the station, and also H.M.S. Espiegle.

Fruit Stealing.

Several young men of this city who like the taste of ripe pears and apples, but who do not like to pay for the same in a legitimate manner, resort to ingenious although dishonest methods to gratify their tastes. A TIMES man saw a couple of young men to-day filling their pockets with luscious pears taken from beneath a tree growing in private grounds. The mode of operation was to take a long light stick, sharpened to a point at one end, and impale the fruit upon it. The pears were then easily transferred to the pockets of the pilferers. This method of getting free fruit may be ingenious but it is stealing just the same.

On An Inspection Visit.

Mr. M. Sweetnam, chief postoffice inspector, Ottawa, is in Victoria on a departmental visit. This is Mr. Sweetnam's first visit to the Pacific coast, and he will make it one of pleasure so far as his business duties will permit. He has visited and inspected the working of the postoffices at the principal places along the line, terminating at Victoria, in which he is much interested. It is his intention to remain over Sunday, and in the interim the various improvements and alterations necessary in the working of the system here will be brought to his attention by the local officials. On his return he will make a report on the subject to the department at Ottawa. Mr. Sweetnam is accompanied by his son, Dr. L. M. Sweetnam.

They are both going to see the cities of the Sound and return from Seattle direct to Vancouver.

The Queen Pays All Expenses.

The Queen's last "Free Trip to Europe" having excited such universal interest, the publishers of that popular magazine offer another and $200 extra for expenses, to the person sending the largest list of English words constructed from letters contained in the words "British North America." Additional prizes, consisting of Silver Tea Sets, China Dinner Sets, Gold Watches, French Music Boxes, Portiere Curtains, Silk Dresses, Mantel Clocks, and many other useful and valuable articles will also be awarded in order of merit. A special prize of a Seal Skin Jacket to the lady, and a handsome Shetland Pony to the girl or boy (delivered free in Canada or United States), sending largest lists. Everyone sending a list of not less than twenty words will receive a present. Send four 3c. stamps for complete rules, illustrated catalogue of prizes, and sample number of the Queen.

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HE MEANS WELL.

Poor Robson! Might Had Advisers—Below Town Lots.

The Miner says: It would appear from the above that the Premier of British Columbia, John Robson, is wonderfully concerned for fear that the cunning speculators should get in and purchase all the Nelson lots offered for sale on the 15th instant. To prevent these bad speculators getting in their work, he and his advisers hit upon a few days ago, whom. They got up a plan by which it was reported to Victoria that if a house worth $500 on the ground, no sales would be made to speculators. They apparently did not consider the fact that not one man in fifty in this section has $500 to lay out in a building on a piece of waste land 23x120 feet in size. How many workingmen in Victoria, even, could make the outlay? The pioneer prospectors, miners, workingmen and business-men of Toad Mountain district are entitled to more liberal treatment. What Nelson is to-day is due solely to their efforts, not to any action taken by the Government. Yet when they ask a chance to obtain small a portion of the land that they have made valuable, they are first met with a direct refusal, and afterwards with conditions almost impossible to comply with. Of what use for a residence is a lot 25x120 feet in a country where the snow falls to a depth of 3 to 5 feet? Why should the men who made the town be asked to pay over $100 for patch of land on which to spread their blankets? Why should they be compelled to build a $500 house on a lot not large enough on which to pile a winter's supply of wood? No doubt, Mr. Robson means well; but, somehow, he calls in and consults with mighty bad advisers—most generally men whose interests are closely allied with corporations.

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

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THOS. GORRIE DEAD.

A Familiar Character in Victoria Dies at the Hospital.

One of the most familiar characters in Victoria since 1858, Mr. Thos. Gorrie, died at 6 o'clock last evening from a complication of diseases. He had been complaining for several weeks past, and when taken to the hospital a few days ago his many friends feared that the end was near, nevertheless, everything was done for him, but without avail. The deceased was a kind hearted man, and a better friend to the needy would be hard to find. He took a prominent part in all picnics and festivities held in Victoria since '58, being engaged on these occasions to superintend the decorations.

Thos. Gorrie was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, just 69 years ago, and learnt the upholstering business. From his home he went to Australia in '49, but did not stay there long, as the gold fever in California took him with others to that state. He did not take to mining, however, but went into the fur business, which he followed until '58, when he came to Victoria. In this city he opened the first toy shop north of San Francisco, on Fort street, where he was engaged until the time of his death. He was an active member of St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society.

Looks Neat.

Sanitary Officer Bailey had a gang of men engaged to-day in cleaning the debris from around the city hall, a job which, when completed, will make the building look better than ever. Neat little tying posts have been erected around the building, and with the completion of the asphalt sidewalk, makes things look neat.

Insufficient Evidence.

The final hearing in the horse poisoning case was concluded to day and resulted in the acquittal of the prisoners Renwick and Baldwin on the ground of insufficient evidence. Mr. Robert Ward in giving his decision strongly condemned the practice of tampering with horses at a race meeting, and threatened offenders with the utmost rigor of the law.

Servile Superintendent.

Adverting to the little red school house fight in Wisconsin, the Miner thus puts the situation in British Columbia: Here in British Columbia the free school is in no danger from church interference, but it is in danger from the ruling of a servile superintendent of education, who believes, with his master, that the teachings of our public schools should all be in political accord with the government that happens to be in power.

Winter Entertainments.

The weekly conversaziones which form such pleasant events in the winter programme of the Reformed Episcopal Church, will be recommenced next Monday. It is still the intention to have them on Tuesday evenings, but in view of the Governor's ball taking place the coming Tuesday, Monday has been selected for this occasion. A very pleasant and interesting programme is in course of preparation, from which is anticipated a very enjoyable evening.

Arrested on Suspicion.

Robert Lewis, a longshoreman, who was among the batch of drunks at the police court this morning, was arrested this afternoon on suspicion of stealing $106 from the mate of the steamer Rainbow. The amount lost was in the mate's room on the steamer and Lewis was working aboard her at the time but left shortly after the robbery. The principal evidence against Lewis is that he deposited the amount with one of his friends on the day of the robbery. He was up in the police court last July for robbing a drunken man in an Indian's cabin but no evidence was forthcoming and he was dismissed.

A Miner's Camp.

Kirschberg & Landsberg, of Johnson street, are the owners of a unique bracket, which was made by Wm. De Witt, a miner living in Vancouver. The shelf is a large and well-shaped fungus, on the top of which the maker has constructed a model of a mining camp. The miner's log cabin, the creek, the shaft with its dump of galena ore, the windlass, the path leading from the cabin to the mine, the sand, boulders, etc., are all represented. Many specimens of the minerals and stones of the province are arranged very naturally, and, of course, in miniature. The work shows the possession of good patience and a pretty accurate knowledge of what a miner's camp is like.

Traffic Increasing.

The Union Pacific officials report overland business on their line from Portland east as being the largest known in the history of the road. Trains are crowded daily both ways, and freight is just rolling in and out of the country. Their business in and out of Victoria is likewise increasing, and when they have their line running to the Sound, and their new steamer Victoria on the route, they expect to increase it still more. Their facilities for handling freight between Victoria and Tacoma is splendid, as their steamers, the Olympian and North Pacific, stay in each port over night, and they have lots of time for loading and unloading.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

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Still Another New Dress.

The courthouse, which quite recently was treated to a coat of boiled oil, which made the entire buildings smell like a tannery, is now undergoing another metamorphosis in the shape of mixed colored paint.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Do not throw away your rubber boots, shoes, coats or gossamers, because they are torn or have a few holes worn in them. Remember they can be made as good as new by Geo. A. Shade, shoemaker, 23 Broad street, opposite Trounce Avenue. oct1-1m

North Pacific Industrial Expositon.

The N.P.R.R., in connection with the steamer City of Kingston, is now making a special round-trip rate of $12.50—Victoria to Portland and return—for the exposition. Tickets on sale at 82 Government street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, good seven days from date of sale.

A Letter that Speaks for Itself.

J. Myers, Esq., Victoria.

DEAR SIR:—To hasten the clearing out of my boot and shoe stock, at 74 Yates street, make a further reduction in the prices, and oblige yours resp.,

Nanaimo, Oct. 13. R. HILBERT.

Steamer City of Seattle.

The new steamer City of Seattle, intended for service between Victoria and Sound cities, is reported to have arrived at Rio de Janeiro on the 13th on her long trip round the Horn. Everything was in first class order. The next place she will be heard from is Valparaiso. She is expected to arrive here in about forty days.

Young Men's Christian Association.

The Sunday service on Oct. 19th will be conducted by Mr. H. E. Brown, one of the lecturers of the International Committee. At 4 p.m., he will speak particularly to Christians. The evening service at 7.30 will be of an evangelistic nature. Mr. Brown leaves on Monday for the east.

Capt. Dixon's Case.

The adjourned case of Capt. Dixon of the steamer North Pacific will be called in the Supreme Court this evening. The case is rather complicated, as the order of the Chief Justice, in connection with the writ of habeas corpus, conflicts with the order of the customs officials. Capt. Dixon has retained Theo. Davie, Q.C., and H. D. Helmcken as his solicitors.

A Growing Congregation.

The ladies of the Gorge road Methodist church met last evening and organized a Ladies' Aid Society, which will have for its object the providing of funds for the new church which it is contemplated to erect there in the near future. This is considered a growing necessity each week. The congregation is so rapidly increasing that difficulty is experienced each week in finding seating accommodation. As a matter of fact, there are now several families for whom it is not possible to find seating room, and new seats are being purchased so that no space may be left unoccupied. Mrs. Humber was elected president and Mrs. Dr. Hall secretary.

Five Fives.

About the toughest looking bunch of criminals who have been in the police station for some time were called to order at 10 o'clock this morning, when the police magistrate took his seat. Two of the gang were badly cut about the face and showed signs of the war of whiskey and knives that must have taken place last night. R. Lous, the the first called, was of the same gang as the rest but he was "run in" early in the evening for indecent exposure, and consequently was not in the fight, but he fought against the sworn information of the police officer by pleading not guilty, but $5 was imposed nevertheless. L. Mollett, although slightly scratched, must have come out of the row on the top; for he was not nearly as badly scarred as the other prisoners, but the best man does not always come out first in the police court, for he was fined $5 and $1.25 costs. A namesake of the renowned John L. and Mike McNulty, must have found their matches, for both had their faces badly cut up and patched with sticking plaster, which in addition to their fun was rather expensive for them. The last offender came out best in the fight but last in the court for being unable to pay a fine he was sent to jail for one month with hard labor.

Several owners of vehicles, who did not pay their licenses, were ordered to do so and also $2 costs each.

At Home.

Mrs. Northing P. Snowden's "at home," at Ashnola, took place last night and was in every sense of the word, a brilliant success. The guests' comforts were well looked after and charming little nooks were to be found in the conservatory. The band of H.M.S. Warspite performed during the evening and gave a very delightful programme of music.

Business with Pleasure.

Business and pleasure can be nicely combined by visitors from the city taking the tram car to the intersection of the Esquimalt and Craigflower roads, see the beautiful and flourishing suburb of Victoria West, and take in the sale of work in aid of the building fund of the New Presbyterian church, to be held in the new hall on the afternoon of Tuesday next, the 21st inst.

DIED.

DUNN—At New Westminster, accidentally, on the 15th instant, Capt. James L. Dunn of the Hudson Bay Co.'s Bark Titania, a native of London, England, aged 58 years.

The funeral will take place to morrow (Saturday) at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of T. R. Smith, Esq., Richardson street, and from Christ Church Cathedral at 3 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

CARLETON—In this city on the 11th instant of heart disease, George N. Carleton, a native of Massachussets, aged 75 years.

The funeral service will be held at the residence of his son, No. 326 Douglas street, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

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See your shares are in good standing.

By order

A. ST. G. FLINT, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

MEMBERS OF THE ST. ANDREW'S AND Caledonia Society are requested to accompany the remains of the late Thomas Gorrie, long Warden of the Society, from the Royal Jubilee Hospital to Ross Bay Cemetery, on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m.

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